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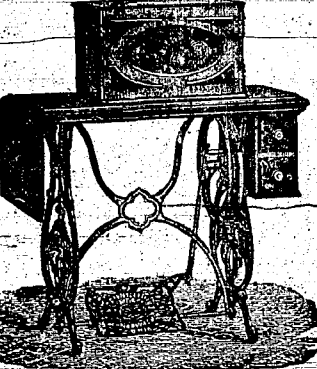
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Just by way of change we are hav-
ing a little snow to-day.
The only person that cannot find
fault with another is a dead one.
The people of the West are far ahead
of those of the New England states in
culture—agriculture.
The mercury at this point indicated
38° below zero, at 3:00 A. M. to-day.

We are inclined to believe that this
is a good winter for stove manufacturers.
Michigan has produced a pig with a
trunk. This thing should be checked.
We learn from a reliable source that
the fruit buds of all kinds are unhurt
so far.
Wood! wood! wood!!! Who would
be without wood this weather? Why,
the man who burns coal.
This is accorded the steadiest and
finest winter "yet oldest inhabitant"
has ever witnessed in these parts.

The dance as announced to come off
at the Hall in this village on Friday
evening, we are requested to state will
be postponed till the following Friday.
Our friend Bradley is rejoicing in a
new milch cow. He says "she has a
powerful b— udder on her, and the
only way he can reduce it is by the
laying on of hands three times a day."
It's a bad case, and we presume that's
a good way. We ain't posted on kine.

Wanted:—A live correspondent in
every township in the county. Who
will volunteer to send either weekly,
semi-monthly, or monthly correspond-
ence relative to matters of local inter-
est happening in their vicinity?
We have secured the services of Mr.
H. C. McKinley, a practical printer,
under whose guiding hand we are in
hopes to see the "AVALANCHE" arise
from its recent apathy, and take rank
with other leading county papers.

We opine that the lumber operations
will be immense this winter, if snow is
of any value in expediting the work,
as we have had continuous sleighing
for something like one hundred and
fifty days, and with the fifteen inches
on the ground now, the prospects are
good for thirty or forty more.

Our new merchant, Mr. J. M. Finn,
is erecting a commodious warehouse,
just north of Salling, Hanson & Co.'s,
for the receipt and storage of goods.
It is to be 22x34 feet, with 12 foot
posts, and to be one story high. Mr.
R. P. Forbs has the general supervi-
sion of the work.
The firm of Salling, Hanson & Co.
announces business booming; and no
wonder, for their large and commodi-
ous store is stocked with an almost
endless variety of goods suitable to
the needs of this thriving county.
They buy largely, and for cash, hence
their immense sales. Recent competi-
tion has made them more wide awake
than ever, and they have redoubled
their efforts to give their customers the
benefit of good goods at small profits.

A violent, but brief snow storm from
the northwest, occurred on Tuesday
last.
Owen Walsh was killed at Nesher's
camp, Roscommon county, Saturday,
by two logs rolling over him. His fa-
ther, Remember the readings, recitations,
etc., at the Hall on Tuesday evening
next, under the auspices of the Grayling
Literary Society. These readings are
very entertaining and instructive, and
should be well attended.

At the Reed City land office during
the month of January 2, 696 acres were
proven up, 1,390 acres homesteads lo-
cated and 377 acres sold for cash.
A fine frame school house is being
built in district No. 2, Maple Forest,
to meet the requirements of that fast
growing district. It is to be 20x32 feet
in size, and to be completed for occu-
pancy by May 1st. Its location is on
Section 32, Town 23 North, Range 2
West, and is being rapidly pushed to
completion by Mr. Frank Owens, who
has the building contract.

On the evening of the 22d, a social
"hop" was given at the Hall, in this
village, in which about 30 couples par-
ticipated. It was given by Mr. J. C.
Goodale, as a farewell benefit, prior to
his anticipated removal to the great
West. Good music was one of the
features of the occasion, as was also
the oyster supper at Mr. Fred Soren-
sen's. The oyster is not a handsome
bird, and he flies by-catches.

Mr. J. M. Finn, who recently pur-
chased the Meat Market of John Walk-
er, has erected a large ice house near
his store premises, and has commenced
the storage of ice for the Summers' use.
The ice is of good quality, in cakes
approximating 20 inches in thickness,
and of some 30 inches in length, and
is procured from School Section lake,
about two miles from town.

This winter has been hard on the
stock raisers of the far West. Out in
Montana the cattle will cost more to
winter there than they will be worth
in the spring. The same is true of the
sheep. Hay is now \$20 per ton, and
scarcely at that. Besides these draw-
backs, more than one-fourth of the
stock has died, and the mortality list,
it is expected, will be augmented be-
fore spring.

There was an exciting race between
a lightning express train and an ice-
boat along the Hudson River on
Wednesday. The engineer of the
train put in his best ticks and the fire-
man worked like a hero. The train
had no stop to make and the ice-boat
made none. For about eight miles
they were even, but as the wind fresh-
ened up the boat, battle added to the
train, and rounding a point, speedily
left it out of sight.

We asked Mr. Rabbitt how business
was now-a-days, and he replied that it
was "picking up right smart," he said
the boys were giving him orders for
boots, no doubt anticipating an early
break-up—when off must come the
picks and rags. He said that "noting
of sufficient importance worthy to
chronicle had come under his observa-
tion, but that his gentleman buntam
was somewhat under the weather." Pip,
perhaps, a Towl disorder.

The winter term of school in dis-
trict No. 5, Grove township, closed on
Friday, the 18th inst., and was ac-
counted a very successful one by its
patrons, and was conducted by Mr. H. I.
Penoyar, of Bangor, Van Buren Co.,
who returns to Lansing this week, to
re-enter his classes at the Agricultural
college, which he has been attending.
During his brief stay in this community,
he won numerous friends by his genial
disposition, and was recognized as a
young man of sterling qualities, and
his services will probably be in demand,
should he consent to a next winters
term.

A party from Sandusky, Ohio, was
in town this week, in the interest of a
large firm in that city, who are en-
gaged in the manufacture of staves for
fish-kits, bowls, and other woodware.
Second-growth white pine is what
they use in their construction,
and of which they require about 4,000
cords per year, and they intimate, if
it could be had in abundance at this
point, they would erect a mill here for
their manufacture; and, on the authori-
ty of Mr. Hanson that such was the
case, we may reasonably hope to see
such an enterprise in our midst ere
long. No note it be.

An unfortunate affair occurred in this
village on Monday evening last, in the
destruction of Mr. David Shoppene-
r's residence, near the bridge. The
inmates, his wife and five children,
barely had time to escape the devour-
ing element, and saved nothing of
much value, as the structure was a
very flimsy affair, and highly inflam-
mable. Mr. S. was "way up down the
river" at the time, and when he re-

turned the next day, was much sur-
prised, and "heep mad, he," as the
second burn-out he has experi-
enced since his advent among us.
One sympathetic and kind-hearted citi-
zen, have, with their usual prompt-
ness, raised, by subscription, a sum of
money, and we are informed, purpose
to build him a new house at once.

The article that appeared in our col-
umns last week under the caption of
East Saginaw, was published without
our knowledge or consent, by the per-
son who then had charge of the paper,
(and whose assumption of authority
was immediately rebuked by his dis-
charge), and as we have heretofore
publicly announced that the columns
of the AVALANCHE should not be used
for the purpose of publicly deriding or
slurring any of its readers, we hereby
apologize to the public for our negli-
gence in allowing the paper to go to
press before being submitted to us for
inspection; and, in justice to Dr. Traver,
we would state that the offense of which
our Saginaw correspondent com-
plained, was simply the reception of a
one-cent comic valentine which he as-
sumed was sent by the doctor.

Trusting that the AVALANCHE will
hereafter be published in the interest
of morality, and its influence be felt in
the elevating and ennobling of the
minds of its readers, and that our apol-
ogy is sufficient, we remain your obed-
ient servants,
SALLING, HANSON & CO.

DON'T JUDGE.
Don't judge a man by the clothes he
wears, for God made one and the tailor
the other.
Don't judge him by his family con-
nections, for Cain belonged to a very
good family.
Don't judge him by his speech, for
the parrot talks, and the tongue is but
an instrument of sound.

Don't judge a man by the house he
lives in, for the lizard and the rat often
inhabit the grandest structures.
Don't judge him by his activity in
the church, for that is not infrequent-
ly inspired by hypocritical and selfish
motives.
Don't judge him by his lack of dis-
play, for the long eared beast is the
humblest of animals, but when aroused
is terrible to behold. —Exchange.

A City Rejoicing.
From all accounts that have reached
the outside world, it may be concluded
that the people of Manistee are as
greatly elated at the discovery of salt
at that place as a Western mining
camp would be at the discovery of a
bonanza mine—and not without reason.
Not only has ordinary property
advanced in the city, but pine slabs,
which have heretofore been a burden,
have been transformed from trash into
cash. The following from the Manistee
Times shows the condition of the
people of the salt struck
city: "And now is the day of salt ex-
citement come. The dis is cast. Man-
istee is no longer a country village in
the back woods. In a few months the
war whoop of the 'big injun' will
have died away upon the sand hills and
in its place will be heard the heavy jog
of the salt-pump, the whirr of the saw
mill and the toot of the locomotive."
Monday night and Tuesday morn-
ing the business men of Manistee were
made glad by the announcement that
Chas. Reitz, whose operations looking
for salt have been often referred to in
these columns, had struck a solid bed
of salt at a depth of 1,300 feet. Sam-
ples of the "pure stuff" were hastily
distributed through the city, and most
every man you met had a little paper
of salt slush in his pocket. Since that
time up to the present writing (Wednes-
day night), salt has been in every man's
mouth and on every man's lips. Thirty
feet of salt have been bored through,
and then they struck a solid substance
below. The water continues to spout
out of the top and run off into the
lake. The stream is large enough to
fill a two inch pipe or more, and is of
course as strong as water can be made,
containing the full 36 per cent of salt
to 100 parts of water, or in salt par-
lance, it is 100 per cent water.

The success of the undertaking has
stimulated our mill owners to action.
Mr. John Canfield yesterday telegraphed
Mr. Wheeler, who was in Muskegon,
to go to Saginaw immediately and take
observations with a view to putting
down a well at their mill in this city.
Mr. Engelman sent Messrs. Case &
Mowatt off yesterday to Saginaw with
instructions to examine into methods
and get all the particulars necessary to
put down and operate a well at his
mill. Chas. Reitz has sent T. N. Reyn-
olds to Saginaw for the same purpose.
R. G. Peters is looking into the sub-
ject, and Bill also put down a well yester-
day. Other mill owners are getting
ready, and ere long we will have 30 or
40 wells in full blast in Manistee.
Whoop! Hallelujah!

Mothers! Mothers! Mothers!
Are you disturbed at night and broken
of your rest by a sick child suffering
and crying with the excruciating pain
of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and
get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Sooth-
ing Syrup. It will relieve the poor
little sufferer immediately—depend upon
it! There is no mistake about it. There
is not a mother on earth who has ever
used it, who will not tell you at once
that it will regulate the bowels, and
give rest to the mother, and relief and
relief and health to the child, operat-
ing like magic. It is perfectly safe to
use in all cases, and pleasant to the
taste, and is the prescription of one of
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NOTICE.
February 17th, 1881.
Notice to George Kihn. Complaint
having been entered against you by
William J. Snively, for abandoning
your homestead entry, No. 3,458, made
by you on the 2d day of September,
1878, upon the W 1-2 of S W 1-4 of
Section 34, Town 25 N., of Range 2
West, you are hereby summoned to
appear at this office, on the 23d day of
March, next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to
show cause why your said Homestead
entry should not be cancelled.
The said William J. Snively is here-
by summoned to appear at the same
time and place.
CHARLES DOUGHTY, Register.
F. J. BURTON, Receiver. 43-4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.
That we will let to the lowest re-
sponsible bidder, the job to fence the
Court House grounds, at Grayling, also
to drag and seed the same. Said job
will be let March 1st 1881 at 3 o'clock
P. M. Plans and specifications can be
seen at the County Clerk's Office.
Signed J. F. Hux
D. H. SHOOR, Committee.

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decisive battles of the world, those few
battles of which a contrary event
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Land Office at Reed City, Mich.
December 31st 1880.
Notice is hereby given that the fol-
lowing named settler has filed notice
of his intention to make final proof in
support of his claim, and final entry
thereof, and that said proof will be
made before the Clerk of the Circuit
Court of Crawford County, Mich., at
the County seat on Monday, the 14th
day of February, 1881, viz:
Henry G. Wiley, Homestead entry
No. 6144 at the N 1-2 of NE 1-4 of Sec
36 T 28 N. R. 3 W. and names the fol-
lowing witnesses to prove his continuous
residence upon and cultivation of
said tract, viz: J. O. Hadley, of Gray-
ling, p. o. I. M. Silsby Cheney p. o. J.
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at twenty-five cents a box everywhere.

NOTICE.
I will hold a session of Probate Court
at my office in Court House in Gray-
ling on the 1st Monday of each month.
ADELBERT TAYLOR
Probate Judge.

East Saginaw Mich.
January 26th, 1881.
Notice is hereby given that the fol-
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proof will be made before the County
Clerk of Crawford County, Mich., at
Grayling, on the 15th day of April 1881,
viz: James D. Borgon of Crawford Co.
for the SW 1-4 of sec. 34 Town 26 N.
R. 1 west. Names the following wit-
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dence upon, and cultivation of said
lands, viz:
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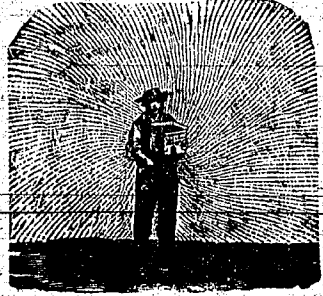
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